

# World War II and the Holocaust

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## ***AXIS FORCES***



Nazi Germany

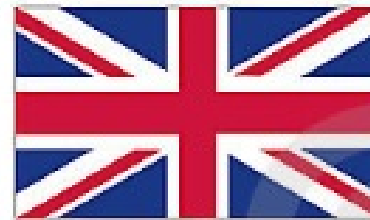


Italy



Japan

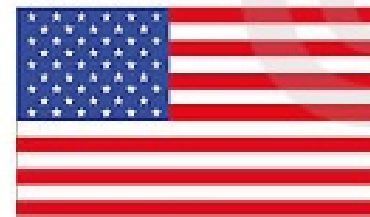
## ***ALLIED FORCES***



Great Britain



USSR

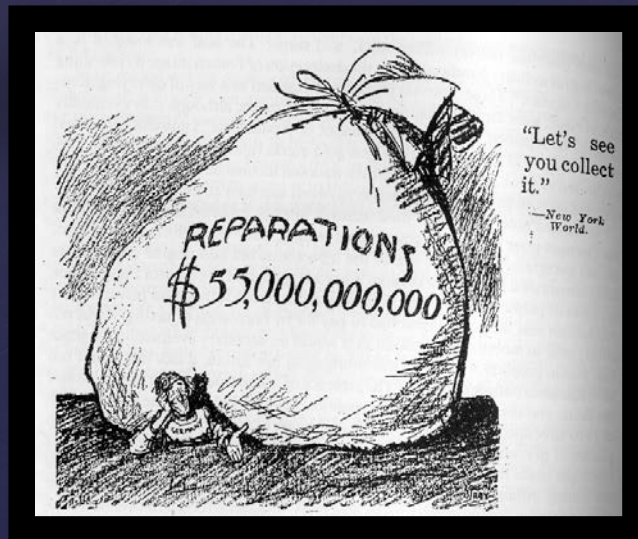
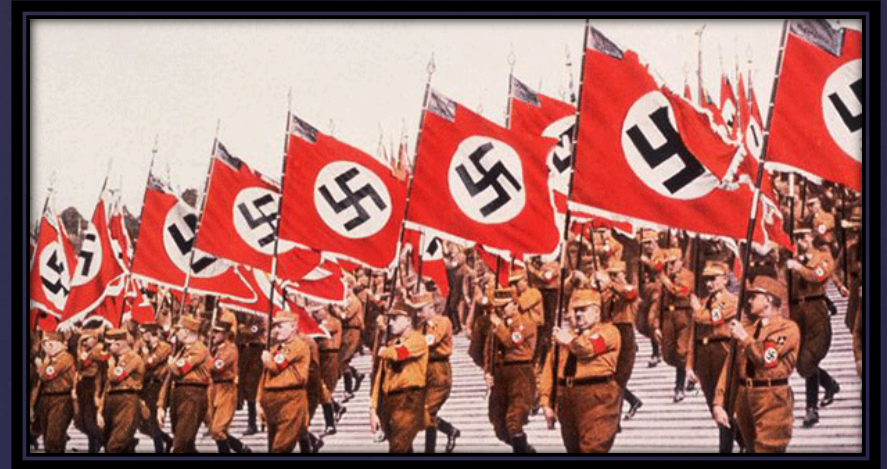


USA



Free France

Does anything surprise you?  
Is anything similar to World War I?



Hitler and the Nazis want to restore Germany's greatness after the humiliation of the Versailles Treaty





## An Aryan Society

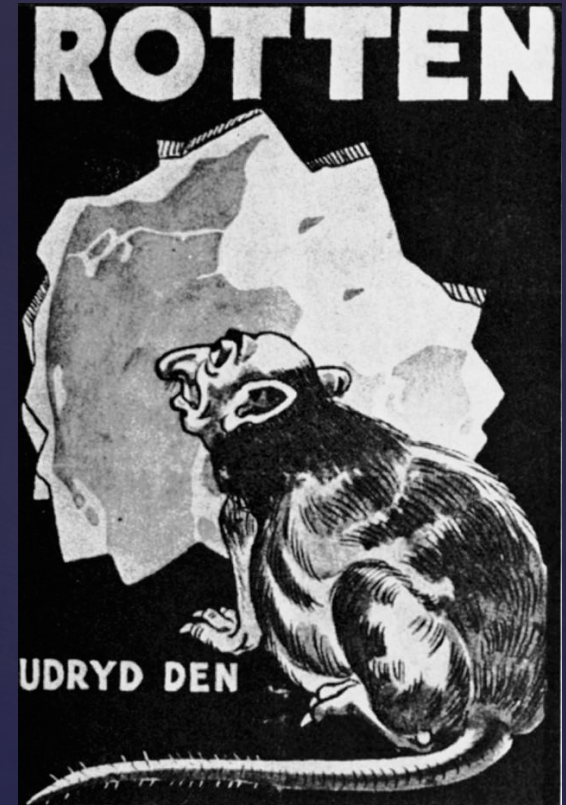
- Hitler wanted to develop an Aryan racial state to dominate Europe and possibly the world.
- Aryans were described as “blonde hair and blue eyed” and were the physical ideal of Nazi Germany.



# Lebensraum and the Aryan Race



# German violations of Versailles Treaty



Who did the Nazis target  
and why?





Violence towards Jews



“Final Solution” to  
the “Jewish  
Problem”





# End of War and Division of Europe